



## PEACE OFFICER REFRACTIVE SURGERY CLINICAL EXAMINATION REPORT

**Applicants:** The California State Personnel Board requires that applicants for peace officer positions who have had refractive eye surgery submit regular reports from their doctors for one year. If you have had or plan to have refractive eye surgery of any kind, please take this package to your doctor. Your doctor is to complete the reports as indicated and mail them directly to:

California Department of Corrections  
Attn: Pre-Employment Medical Unit  
2201 Broadway  
Sacramento, CA 95818-2572

**Candidate's  
Name:**

PRINT                      Last                                      First                                      MI

**Address:**

Street                                      City                                      State                                      ZIP

**SSN:**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Telephone Number:**

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**CLASSIFICATION:**

(Circle One)

**CO**

**MTA**

**CCI**

**PAI**

### AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE INFORMATION

To determine my eligibility for employment as a Peace Officer with the California Department of Corrections (CDC), I authorize you to release to CDC any and all medical information and/or records concerning my vision. This authorization is valid until the selection process is completed.

**Candidate's  
Signature:**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Date:**

\_\_\_\_\_



## REFRACTIVE EYE SURGERY EVALUATION CRITERIA

To Optometrist/Ophthalmologist:

Your patient is seeking employment as a peace officer, a public safety position and has informed us that he/she has undergone (or plans to undergo) refractive eye surgery (i.e., RK, PRK, Lasix, laser, etc.) He/she must demonstrate stable visual function prior to appointment as follows:

1. Visual acuity in each eye must be stable over at least a 12-month period of time after surgery.
2. Visual acuity must meet the corrected and uncorrected standard for the class being tested.

### Classification

Correctional Officer  
Correctional Counselor I  
Parole Agent I  
Fire Fighter, CF  
Medical Technical Assistant

### Visual Acuity Requirements

20/60 uncorrected in each eye and corrected to 20/20  
20/60 uncorrected in each eye and corrected to 20/20  
20/60 uncorrected in each eye and corrected to 20/20  
20/100 uncorrected in each eye and corrected to 20/20  
20/200 uncorrected in each eye and corrected to 20/20

3. Glare disability and contrast sensitivity must be normal.
4. Post-operative complications must have been resolved for at least six months.
5. On behalf of your patient, please supply the information requested below when the Clinical Examination Reports document stability.
  - A. Submit a copy of the operative reports and copies of all doctor's progress notes since surgery.
  - B. List the date(s) of surgery on each eye.
  - C. List the date that the applicant became free of post-operative complications.
  - D. List the surgical protocol followed (i.e., Saulson, Thorton, Ellis, other—please name) and a description of the protocol.
  - E. List sensitivity to any environmental factors (i.e., heat, cold, smog, dust, etc.)
  - F. Complete and submit the Clinical Examination Reports.

The information will be used to determine your patient's stability of vision after refractive surgery. Visual acuity should be measured using a Bailey-Lovie acuity chart or other standardized chart used for acuity measurements. Acuity should be measured in the morning and again in the late afternoon (allowing at least 6 hours between exams). Percent glare disability should be measured in each eye before and after cyclopegia. Please list the instrument used and the expected normal values. All post-operative examinations must be at least three months apart for our purposes (this protocol does not preclude other examinations if you determine they are necessary). Cyclopegic exams should be performed after using 1% mydriacyl for paralysis of accommodation.

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Exam Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## PRE-OPERATIVE CLINICAL EXAMINATION REPORT

Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_  
Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Examiner: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Visual Acuity\* (Dimly lit room)

Without Correction OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

With Correction OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

2. Manifest Refraction

OD \_\_\_\_\_

OS \_\_\_\_\_

3. Tonometry

OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

\*Please specify method used to measure acuity: \_\_\_\_\_

Doctor's Original Signature		Date
Doctor's Printed Name		Telephone Number
Doctor's Address		City, State Zip Code



Exam Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Surgery Dates

Right eye: \_\_\_\_\_

Left eye: \_\_\_\_\_

## POST-OPERATIVE CLINICAL EXAMINATION REPORT #1 (Six Months)

Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Examiner: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security  
Number: \_\_\_\_\_

### Morning Exam

### Afternoon Exam\*

1. Visual Acuity** (Dimly lit room) Without Correction	OD _____ OS _____	OD _____ OS _____
With Correction	OD _____ OS _____	OD _____ OS _____
2. Manifest Refraction	OD _____ OS _____	OD _____ OS _____
	OD _____ OS _____	OD _____ OS _____
3. Tonometry	OD _____ OS _____	OD _____ OS _____
	OD _____ OS _____	OD _____ OS _____
4. Cycloplegic Exam***		
A. Pupillary Size		
B. Refraction after cycloplegia		
C. Slit lamp exam		

\*Please allow six hours between morning and afternoon exam.

\*\*Please specify method used to measure acuity: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\*Use 1% mydriacyl for cycloplegia.

Doctor's Original Signature	Date
Doctor's Printed Name	Telephone Number
Doctor's Address	City, State Zip Code



Exam Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Surgery Dates

Right eye: \_\_\_\_\_

Left eye: \_\_\_\_\_

## POST-OPERATIVE CLINICAL EXAMINATION REPORT #2 (Nine Months)

Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Examiner: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security  
Number: \_\_\_\_\_

### Morning Exam

### Afternoon Exam\*

2. Visual Acuity\*\*  
(Dimly lit room)  
Without Correction

OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_ OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

With Correction

OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_ OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

5. Manifest Refraction

OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_ OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

OS \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_ OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

6. Tonometry

OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_ OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_ OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

7. Cycloplegic Exam\*\*\*

D. Pupillary Size

OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

E. Refraction after  
cycloplegia

OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

F. Slit lamp exam

\*Please allow six hours between morning and afternoon exam.

\*\*Please specify method used to measure acuity: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\*Use 1% mydriacyl for cycloplegia.

Doctor's Original Signature		Date
Doctor's Printed Name		Telephone Number
Doctor's Address		City, State Zip Code



Exam Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Surgery Dates

Right eye: \_\_\_\_\_

Left eye: \_\_\_\_\_

**POST-OPERATIVE CLINICAL EXAMINATION REPORT #3  
(12 Months)**

Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_  
Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Examiner: \_\_\_\_\_

**Morning Exam**

**Afternoon Exam\***

3. Visual Acuity\*\*  
(Dimly lit room)  
Without Correction

OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_ OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

With Correction

OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_ OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

8. Manifest Refraction

OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_ OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

OS \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_ OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

9. Tonometry

OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_ OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_ OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

10. Cycloplegic Exam\*\*\*

G. Pupillary Size

OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

H. Refraction after  
cycloplegia

OD \_\_\_\_\_ OS \_\_\_\_\_

I. Slit lamp exam

\*Please allow six hours between morning and afternoon exam.

\*\*Please specify method used to measure acuity: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\*Use 1% mydriacyl for cycloplegia.

Doctor's Original Signature		Date
Doctor's Printed Name		Telephone Number
Doctor's Address		City, State Zip Code